REQUEST FOR ACTION

To:

Mark Leary

Deputy Director

From:

Ted Rauh

Program Director

Waste Compliance and Mitigation Program

Request Date:

May 24, 2010

Decision Subject:

Concurrence on Proposed Revised Full Solid Waste Facilities Permit for

Olinda Alpha Landfill, SWIS No. 30-AB-0035

Action By:

June 26, 2010

Summary of Request: This is a request that the Director take action on a proposed revision for a Solid Waste Facilities Permit for the Olinda Alpha Landfill, SWIS No. 30-AB-0035, located in Orange County. Staff's findings and recommendations are provided relative to the proposed action.

The proposed permit was received on April 27, 2010. Action must be taken on this permit no later than June 26, 2010. If no action is taken by June 26, 2010, the Director will be deemed to have concurred with the issuance of the proposed permit.

Recommendation: Based on our review of the submitted permit package, staff recommends the Deputy Director concur with the issuance of the permit. All of the required submittals and findings required by Title 27, Section 21685 have been made and the required CEQA findings have been made in support of concurrence. The Final Environmental Impact Report (EIR) was certified and a Statement of Overriding Considerations was adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors on April 17, 2007. The EIR identified significant and unavoidable environmental impacts to Land Use, Noise and Vibration, Aesthetics, Biological Resources, Recreation and Air Quality. These findings are summarized in the Waste Compliance and Mitigation Program Staff Report. The documents on which staff's findings are based are in the facility files. Details on the findings are presented in more detail in the Waste Compliance and Mitigation Program Staff Report.

Director Action:

I have reviewed and considered the information contained in the Final Environmental Impact Report prepared for this proposed solid waste facilities permit or the project which this proposed permit is a part, including the environmental effects of the project as described in the Final Environmental Impact Report.

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On the basis of the information and analysis in this Request for Action and the findings set out in the Department staff report, I adopt as the Department's own, the CEQA findings and Statement of Overriding Considerations, adopted by the Orange County Board of Supervisors for this project and I concur in the issuance of the Revised Full Solid Waste Facilities Permit for Olinda Alpha Landfill as proposed.

Dated: 11/2 2910

Mark Leary

Deputy Director

Attachments: Proposed Permit

Waste Compliance and Mitigation Program Staff Report (with attachments)